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SUBJECT: US-GERMAN TALKS ON ACADEMIC EQUIVALENCIES

1. KALKBRENNER-STRAUS SUBCOMMITTEE ESTABLISHED DURING US-GERMAN CULTURAL TALKS IN BONN JANUARY 1974 MET AT DEPT APRIL 26 TO DISCUSS PROBLEM OF ACADEMIC EQUIVALENCIES. CU ASSISTED BY JOSEPH HARDMAN (OE); ALBERT G. SIMS, VICE PRESIDENT, COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION BOARD; SANFORD C. JAMESON, VICE CHAIRMAN, COUNCIL ON EVALUATION OF FOREIGN STUDENT CREDENTIALS; CLIFF SJOGREN, DIRECTOR OF ADMISSIONS, UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN AND STAN BERRY, DIRECTOR OF ADMISSIONS, WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY.
2. IT WAS AGREED THAT THE BEST INITIAL PROCEDURE WAS TO (1) GATHER AND STUDY EXISTING, THOUGH OUTDATED, PUBLISHED RECOMMENDATIONS ON US-GERMAN EQUIVALENCIES (OE AND CEFSC PUBLICATIONS ON US SIDE), (2) CONVENE SESSION OF ANOTHER, BROADER MIXED GROUP MEETING IN EFFORT FORMULATE RECOMMENDATIONS TO APPROPRIATE NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS (CEFSC ON US SIDE AND PRESUMABLY PERMANENT CONFERENCE OF LAND CULTURAL MINISTERS ON GERMAN SIDE). BROADER STEPS MIGHT FOLLOW THEREAFTER.
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